

AMENDMENTS

In the Claims:

Please amend the claims as indicated hereafter.

1. (Canceled)
2. (Currently Amended) The system of claim + 32, wherein said pole tower is separated from an inner periphery of said guyed tower by about one-quarter of an inch.
3. (Canceled).
4. (Currently Amended) The system of claim + 32, further comprising communication equipment attached to said pole tower.
- 5-6. (Canceled).
7. (Currently Amended) The system of claim + 32, wherein said guyed tower is comprised of at least two joined guyed tower sections, and wherein said pole tower is fixedly attached to said guyed tower at a midpoint of one of said joined guyed tower sections.
8. (Currently Amended) The system of claim + 32, wherein said guyed tower is comprised of at least two joined guyed tower sections, and wherein said pole tower is fixedly attached to said guyed tower at an interface between said joined guyed tower sections.

9. (Currently Amended) The system of claim + 32, wherein said guyed pole tower has a bottom end and a top end opposite of said bottom end, said bottom end fixedly attached to said foundation, and wherein said pole tower extends from said foundation to said top ~~end~~ section of said guyed tower.

10. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 9, wherein said top end of said pole tower extends through said top ~~end~~ section of said guyed tower, said top end of said pole tower having communication equipment mounted thereto at a point above said top ~~end~~ section of said guyed tower.

11-31. (Canceled)

32. (Currently Amended) ~~The system of claim 1,~~ A system for supporting wireless communication equipment, comprising:

a foundation;

a guyed tower fixedly attached to said foundation; and

a pole tower fixedly attached to said foundation and extending through a middle region of said guyed tower,

wherein said guyed tower has a top section, a bottom section, and at least one middle section between said top and bottom sections; each of said sections respectively having a plurality of beams and at least three substantially parallel beams, each of the plurality of beams coupled to the substantially parallel beams, wherein said bottom section is secured to said foundation, wherein each of the substantially parallel beams for each of said respective sections is fixedly attached to the substantially parallel beams of an adjacent guyed tower section, and

wherein a periphery of the plurality of beams for said bottom section does not exceed a periphery of the plurality of beams for said top section.

33. (Currently Amended) The system of claim \pm 32, wherein said single pole tower provides substantial support to said guyed tower.

34-37. (Canceled)

38. (Previously Presented) A method for increasing a load capacity of an erected guyed tower, comprising the steps of:

erecting a pole tower within an inner region of said guyed tower; and

attaching said pole tower to a foundation,

wherein said guyed tower has a bottom section, a top section, and at least one middle section between said bottom section and said top section, wherein said pole tower has a plurality of sections, and wherein said erecting step further comprises the steps of:

lifting each of said pole tower sections to said top section of said erected guyed tower;

and

passing each of said pole tower sections through said top section of said erected guyed tower.

39. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 38, wherein said attaching step comprises the step of fixedly attaching one of said pole tower sections to said foundation.

40. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 38, wherein at least one other pole tower section extends above said top section subsequent to said erecting step.

41. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 29, wherein said erecting step comprises the steps of:

lifting a plurality of sections of said pole tower to a top of said previously erected guyed tower; and

passing each of said sections through said previously erected guyed tower.

42. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 41, wherein said attaching step comprises the step of attaching one of said sections to said foundation.

43. (Previously Presented) A method for increasing a load capacity of a previously erected guyed tower, said previously erected guyed tower having a bottom section, a top section, and at least one middle section between said bottom section and said top section, comprising the steps of:

passing each of a plurality of sections of said pole tower through said top section of said previously erected guyed tower and into an inner region of said previously erected guyed tower; and

attaching each of said sections of said pole tower to at least one other respective section of said pole tower within said previously erected guyed tower thereby forming at least a portion of said pole tower within said previously erected guyed tower.

44. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 43, further comprising the step of attaching one of said sections of said pole tower to a foundation.

45. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 44, wherein said previously erected guyed tower is attached to said foundation.

46. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 43, further comprising the step of attaching a section of said pole tower to one of said plurality of sections of said pole tower such that a portion of said pole tower extends above said previously erected guyed tower.